



REBELS FORMING A GOVERNMENT

Days of Fighting in Border
States Numbered Is Belief
of Leaders.

FEDERALS ARE LEAVING

Northern Half of Country to
Be Entirely Detached and In-
dependent of Mexico City.

Juarez, Mex., Dec. 4.—While looting by isolated bands, or confiscation of property by the rebels, may continue, the days of fighting in northern Mexico are numbered, so far as the present revolution is concerned, according to opinions expressed by rebel leaders today.

General Francisco Villa's assertion that there is not much more to fight for in the north because of the bankrupt condition of the federal army, which caused them to evacuate so important a city as Chihuahua, has spread among the rebels. What most immediately concerns the so-called Constitutional party now is the elaboration of its civil government. This embraces a more systematized custom to be enforced along the border. The rebels hold all the important border towns except Nuevo Laredo and Jiladras Negras, opposite Texas. There remains also to be put in force a uniform currency system, for now rebel and federal currency are in conflict, one kind being acceptable in one place and another kind in another. Rebel postage stamps already are in use and many governors and state officials are to be selected. For all political purposes with in a short time, the leaders say, a government will be in operation in the northern half of the country which will be entirely detached and independent of that at Mexico City.

The settlement of the civil questions is one reason why General Villa has asked General Carranza to meet him at Chihuahua. Villa expects to leave to Carranza the task of establishing civil government, devoting himself to the military campaign southward towards Mexico City.

GREAT INCREASE IN U. S. LIBRARY

Added Room Becoming Serious
Problem—Over Two
Million Books Listed.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 4.—The library of congress now contains 2,158,125 books and pamphlets, there having been added during 1913, 115,862 volumes, a record but twice exceeded in the last fifteen years. These figures form the chief feature of the annual report of Herbert Putnam, the librarian of congress.

The report points out that so great has been the increase in books and pamphlets in recent years that soon all the available shelf room will have been occupied. Already, Mr. Putnam declares, added room has become a serious problem and that within five or six years provision must be made.

During the year 11,000 volumes were received in gifts, among which were many books of great value pertaining to the earlier history of the country and the diplomacy of the confederacy.

Much attention in purchasing books was paid to the literature of arts and architecture.

The report shows that the annual appropriations for the library amount to \$600,000, but that there is an offset of about \$160,000 in fees covered into the treasury. The remaining \$440,000 is used for the purpose of books, manuscripts and original documents and for the general expenses of the library.

HEAVY SNOWFALL IS REPORTED IN DENVER

Denver, Colo., Dec. 4.—Heavy snow fall over most of the east slope of the Rocky mountains was reported last night and this morning. At 10 o'clock it was still snowing in Denver and throughout most of eastern and southern Colorado and northern New Mexico. Some snow had fallen in Cheyenne, but northern Wyoming reported clear weather. A light snow fell in northern Arizona last night.

Snow for Colorado and rain or snow for New Mexico was the forecast for tonight.

The heavy fall of snow in Denver continued uninterrupted throughout the forenoon. Street railway traffic was seriously impaired and delivery of coal and other necessities was made with great difficulty. The city schools reported less than half the normal attendance.

Colorado Springs and Pueblo reported continued complete stoppage of street railway traffic. In the Trinidad strike district there was much suffering in the camps of the Colorado national guardsmen and the strikers.

WILL REFUND TAX MONEY
Washington, Dec. 4.—Secretary McAdoo said today the income tax would be collected while suits are pending attacking its validity and

COUNTERFEITER IS ARRESTED ON COAST

Lincoln, Dec. 4.—Two indictments were returned last spring by the federal grand jury against W. Harry McCauley, who is alleged to be under arrest at Oakland, Cal. McCauley is charged under the indictment with passing counterfeit money and also with being a party to a conspiracy to make and pass spurious coins. Two men connected with the same case were convicted, William F. Linna-herry, who was sentenced here was originally photographer of the gang of counterfeiters. Barney A. Bringle was arrested in Minnesota and sentenced for having counterfeit coin in his possession.

FRESNO DAN GETS HALF OF ESTATE

Cambridge, Mass., Dec. 4.—Fresno Dan, whose claim as Daniel Blake Russell, son of the late Daniel Russell, of Melrose and heir to half of the \$500,000 estate was acknowledged by court and family, receives half of the estate of William C. Russell, under Mr. Russell's will, filed today. The will gave no indication of the value of the estate.

Twenty-five thousand dollars of the bequest is in the form of a trust fund, to be administered by F. C. Almy, executor of Daniel Russell's estate. The residue goes to other relatives.

William Russell, who was the central figure in the identity case which has been in the courts for several years died Saturday.

TO SUPPLANT OLD FINGER PRINTING

New York, Dec. 4.—The finger printing method for the identification of criminals may some day be supplanted by photographing the veins of the hands, according to Professor Tamassella of the University of Padua, Italy. He is quoted in advocacy of the new plan, declaring that the merest novice can detect variations in the veins of the hand, while long training is necessary to distinguish differences in finger prints.

9,000 WANT CITY APPOINTMENTS

New York, Dec. 4.—It is reported that 3000 applications for positions under the forthcoming administration of Mayor-elect John Purroy Mitchell have been filed at city hall. "It reminds me," said Borough President George McAneny, of the saying of President Hayes that "Carl Schurz used to be fond of repeating: 'Every time you appoint a man to public office you make nine enemies and one ingrate.'"

WITHDRAWS FROM PROGRESSIVE PARTY

New York, N. Y., Dec. 4.—William A. Prendergast, comptroller of New York formally announced his withdrawal today from the Progressive party which he helped to found.

"I considered," his statement says "that the result of the presidential election made it evident that the third party idea was not acceptable to the American people and that the continuation of a third party could have no other effect than the permanent success of the Democratic party."

STATE TO SHOW CRAIG'S GUILT

Shelbyville, Ind., Dec. 4.—A man was seen peeping through the windows of Dr. Helen Knabe's apartment on no less than twenty nights in July and August, 1911, Mrs. J. M. Smith testified today at the trial of Dr. William B. Craig for the alleged murder of Dr. Knabe. Mrs. Smith said the man wore dark clothes and a crush hat. The state hoped to be able to show that this man was Dr. Craig and that the alleged action was one of his manifestations of jealousy.

Miss Katherine Fleming, referred to be counsel for the state as the fiancée of Dr. William B. Craig, testified today for the prosecution at the trial of Dr. Craig for the alleged murder of Dr. Helen Knabe.

FLOODS COVER MANY COUNTIES

Rainfall Adding to Menace of
High Waters in Central
Texas.

THOUSANDS HOMELESS

Baskets of Provisions Sent
Over Telephone Wires to
Flood Victims.

Dallas, Texas, Dec. 4.—The death list from the floods was increased to 22 today, when seven negroes were drowned at Hearne. Boats were out this afternoon at Hearne rescuing many persons caught in their homes.

In central Texas, where high waters have taken thirteen lives and caused tremendous damage, the flood was receding this afternoon.

One hundred and seventy-five persons marooned in an International and Great Northern train all night near Marlin were rescued this afternoon.

The crest of the Brazos flood passed Waco and the Colorado river was receding at Austin. The high water reached San Antonio this morning, but the flood stage did not continue long. The rain continued.

Dallas, Tex., Dec. 4.—Rainfall continued today in the flood districts of central Texas, adding to the menace of high waters which already have cost twenty-two lives and about \$1,000,000 property damage. The most important new point affected today was San Antonio.

The floods cover portions of nearly every county from San Antonio northward and eastward to include all important cities of north and central Texas.

The homeless numbered thousands today but as they were divided in small groups throughout the immense flood territory, no serious relief problems were presented.

Food Sent Over Wires.
At Belton, baskets of provisions were propelled on the telephone wires to flood victims.

South Bosque reported that the rise which reached there yesterday came in a wall of water ten feet high. The residents had been warned.

Near Marlin, 175 passengers on a Houston & Texas Central railroad train were marooned all night. The flood water rose over the rails until it reached the lower steps of the coaches.

The Marlin overflow is from the Brazos river bed. The Brazos is ten miles wide at some points. Marlin is five miles from the river.

Inundation of the cemeteries stopped burial throughout the city. Planing mills turned out scores of boats to salvage property and rescue the marooned.

Death List.
The flood's death list is:
At Belton, five members of the Polk family.

At Brownwood, D. Lyton.
At Dallas, B. F. Lacey.
At Grand Prairie, Manley.
At Highbank, near Marlin, two negroes.

At Austin, three unidentified men.

At Fort Worth yesterday's apparent relief from flood conditions changed this morning when a dangerous new rise set in.

FLOODS REACH SAN ANTONIO

San Antonio, Tex., Dec. 4.—Floods which have driven thousands of persons from their homes in other parts of Texas reached San Antonio today when the river here went out of its banks and inundated several sections of the city. Rescuing parties began carrying the marooned to safety. The damage to property was considerable. No life loss has been reported here.

IMPORTATION OF ARMS FORBIDDEN

British Government to Take
First Steps in Ireland Against
Unionist Rebellion.

Dublin, Ireland, Dec. 4.—The importation of arms into Ireland is about to be forbidden, according to the newspapers here. The issue of a proclamation to that effect is expected in a day or two.

Augustine Birrell, chief secretary for Ireland, is here in conference with the Earl of Aberdeen, the lord lieutenant, and the result is thought will be that the government will take the first step against the plans of rebellion of the followers of Sir Edward Carson, the Irish unionist leader.

Shipments of rifles and bayonets to large quantities into Belfast have been on the increase in the last few weeks.

Will Face Uprising.
Belfast, Dec. 4.—Prominent unionists here say that any attempt to deprive the Ulster volunteers of their weapons will mean an uprising in the province.

GOV. TENER TO GET BUSY AT ONCE IF CHOSEN NATIONAL LEAGUE PRESIDENT



Gov. John K. Tener.

It is believed in sporting circles that Gov. John K. Tener of Pennsylvania, who is slated for election as president of the National league at the annual meeting, which will be held on December 9, would, if elected, at once become "the real boss" of the league's affairs, although he will draw no salary as league president until the expiration of his term as governor, January 1, 1915. His salary as governor is \$10,000 a year; as league president it would be \$25,000.

POLICE EVADE THE MILITANTS

Powerful Tug Outrides Heavy
Seas and Officers Take Mrs.
Pankhurst From Liner.

Exeter, England, Dec. 4.—Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, the militant suffragette leader, was lodged today in Exeter jail. The police who arrested her on board the Majestic on her arrival from New York outwitted the women sympathizers who had been watching to resist her arrest.

After she and the officers landed from a tug at a dock on the Tamar river, they started off in the direction of London, but afterward changed their route and made direct for this city and reached their destination without encountering any obstruction.

Plymouth, England, Dec. 4.—Wind and sea today helped the police to evade the posse of suffragettes who had planned to prevent the rearrest of Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst under the provisions of the "cat and mouse act."

A heavy sea was running in the harbor when the steamship Majestic anchored shortly after noon.

The waves, while they did not affect the powerful police tug were too much for the little motor boat which the militant suffragettes had engaged to head off the policemen.

The occupants, who included "General" Mrs. Flora Drummond and other leaders, were drenched to the skin before they reached the liner.

The Majestic under police orders had anchored outside the breakwater. The sea delayed the little suffragette warship so much that it did not arrive at the side of the big liner until the police were leading Mrs. Pankhurst down the gangway.

Mrs. Pankhurst protested against her arrest and asked to see the warrant. It was explained to her that no warrant was necessary. At her request, Mrs. Child Doreck, American suffragette, was permitted to accompany her.

Six policemen and a wardress boarded the steamer to prevent any of the passengers interfering with the officers delegated to make the actual arrest.

Militants Were Helpless.
In the meantime the ordinary tender, on which were many suffragettes, armed with clubs, was kept standing off and the armed body guard was rendered helpless.

Bodies of suffragettes were on guard outside all prisons southwest of England to which it was thought Mrs. Pankhurst might be taken. During the night at Bristol the women who took entry duty in relays outside the jails were attacked by a hostile crowd and several people were hurt in the struggle.

Threats of Vengeance.
London, Dec. 4.—The militant suffragettes who had arranged a great demonstration to welcome Mrs. Pankhurst, arranged today to turn it into a meeting of protest. Threats of vengeance against the authorities were heard when it was discovered that Mrs. Pankhurst's captors had eluded the rescue party at Plymouth.

Many women who had planned to greet their leader on her arrival in London, met to express their indignation at her arrest.

CUMMINS CALLS DEBATE A FARCE

Democratic Currency Bill Cau-
sus a Conspiracy Which Peo-
ple Will Not Tolerate.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 4.—Charges by Senator Cummins that the Democrats had approached "dangerously near a conspiracy against the rights of all the people," in taking caucus action on the currency bill, marked the opening of today's session of the senate.

"This bill has been considered elsewhere and passed elsewhere," he said. "There will be no real debate in this chamber; it will be simply a farce. I hesitate to participate in it, for I do not want to give it, before the country, the color of actual deliberation. I cannot believe the American people will for a long period tolerate this legislation by a caucus."

Lewis Scores Cummins.
Senator Lewis retorted that Senator Cummins had sanctioned similar caucus methods while governor of Iowa but Mr. Cummins denied it.

Senator Owen, defending the caucus action, declared the Democrats had adopted the most "direct, efficient and simple way of securing legislation" after congress "laid for months delayed action."

He denounced the extended debate on the Hetch Hetchy bill as a "beating of the air with empty words" and a delay of the currency bill.

Republicans declared that Democrats were absenting themselves from the chamber and that all addresses were made to "empty seats."

"Undue Influence."
Senator Reed declared that the impression had gone abroad that President Wilson had used "undue influence" on the currency bill.

"The president," said Senator Reed emphatically, "as never attempted to coax or coerce congress into passing any particular bill. I entirely deny that the president has gone a hair's breadth beyond the performance of his constitutional duty."

Senator Norris, Republican, declared the situation showed the need of a cloture rule. He attacked the caucus.

"With every fundamental principle which the president laid down in his message, I am in hearty accord," he said, "but under the caucus system I will have no opportunity to assist in framing the measures which should carry out those principles. Practically every senator on this side of the chamber is in a similar position as to some one or more of the president's recommendations."

MURDER SUSPECT HAS DISAPPEARED

New York, Dec. 4.—A former Swiss soldier, who lived at the home of Mrs. Agnes Guth and had been introduced as her second husband, had disappeared today and efforts to solve the murder of Mrs. Guth centered in the attempt to find him. Mrs. Guth, a prosperous west side dressmaker, was found dead in bed last night with four knife wounds in her body, almost any of which might have caused her death.

CAVALRY MEETS THE REFUGEES

Huerta Military Commander
and Officers Expected to
Cross American Border.

Marfa, Texas, Dec. 4.—Immigration officials and cavalry troops went to Presidio, opposite Ojinaga, Mexico, today on information that refugees from Chihuahua would cross the border there.

Among the refugees are General Mercado, Huerta's military commander in northern Mexico, and his officers. It is not known whether the Mexican officers will seek safety in the United States or whether they will stand at Ojinaga against any attempt of the rebels to capture them. Ojinaga is reached over a 50-mile wagon road from Marfa.

Queen's Message Denied.

The Hague, Dec. 4.—Neither official nor diplomatic circles in The Netherlands, know anything about the report that Queen Wilhelmina has been appointed by the powers an intermediary for the pacification of Mexico.

YOUNG FARMERS IN WASHINGTON

Army of Boys and Girls Win
Trip in Competitive
Contest.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 4.—The van guard of an army of boys and girls who are doing their share to further the "stay on the farm" movement have arrived in Washington. The party numbers 1200. They come from Ohio, where they won the trip as a reward for the excellence of the corn grown by the boys and the baking done by the girls.

Secretary Bryan, who addressed the boys and girls at the hall last night, said he was kept busy lecturing to keep a little farm in Nebraska running. At the same time he declared that the farm was the future of the young man and that it offered greater opportunities than any other vocation.

He went on to say that his Kansas farm was in the nature of a sinking fund and that ultimately he expected to get more out of it than he put in.

Next week's representatives of boys and girls clubs in other states will reach the national capital on a sightseeing trip.

There will be champion members of boys corn clubs from each of the southern states; champions from girls' canning clubs from southern, western and northern states, and girls and boys potato clubs in Massachusetts, Ohio, Utah, Iowa and Michigan. Colorado will send a sugar beet boy.

Willson to Receive Young Visitors.
Those who have come from Ohio arrived in six special trains on which there also were several hundred friends and relatives, making an excursion of nearly 2000 who trooped over the public buildings of the city and paid a visit to the tomb of the "Father of his Country," George Washington, at Mount Vernon.

While here the party will visit President Wilson and Secretary Houston, who will present them with diplomas.

The second delegation of boys and girls will reach Washington on December 11. They will meet at one of the large hotels where a "get acquainted" meeting will be held.

The excursions are being made at the expense of the citizens of the states from which the youngsters come. The Ohio excursion, it is estimated, will cost the business men of that state, nearly \$100,000.

BAND IS PRAISED BY THE PUBLIC

The State Industrial school band serenaded the uptown district today for the benefit of the Sixth Ward bazaar which is being held in the old Kline building on Twenty-fourth street.

The band, which was organized with its present membership of 25 young players just prior to the recent Fashion Show, is doing fine work under the direction of the leader, Prof. E. W. Nichols.

The playing of the boys today drew many compliments from people on the streets.

PRES. JOS. F. SMITH IN PHOENIX ARIZONA

Phoenix, Ariz., Dec. 4.—Joseph F. Smith, head of the Mormon church, arrived here today from Salt Lake City to officiate at the dedication of two Mormon chapels in this section. He visited Governor Hunt today and will return to Salt Lake next Saturday.

BETS MADE THAT LOPEZ HAS GONE

Even Money in Bingham That
Desperado Has Made
His Escape.

MINE OPENING DELAYED

Bulkheads Not to be Taken
Down Until Fires Have
Died Out.

Bingham, Dec. 4.—The smudging of the Utah-Apex mine, in which Ralph Lopez, slayer of six men, took refuge just a week ago, continued today with the likelihood that not until tomorrow would the fires be allowed to die down.

The belief grew today that the desperado had escaped from the mine, which was meant to be his tomb. Odds narrowed from 2 to 1 to even money that he had not succumbed to the poisonous gases that have been generated in the thirty miles of subterranean workings since Monday.

The pursuit of Lopez began November 21 after he had killed a fellow countryman.

The chief of police and four deputy sheriffs have since fallen before his deadly aim.

MRS. VAN BUSKIRK ASKING FOR DIVORCE

This afternoon in the district court Frances M. Van Buskirk commenced divorce proceedings against Joseph Buskirk claiming that the defendant has been cruel and has failed to provide the necessities of life for herself and five children.

The petition relates that the parties were married December 4, 1891, and in stating acts of cruelty claims that the defendant has been in the habit of using harsh words and has struck her with his fist.

Mrs. Van Buskirk also relates that for ten months at a time the defendant would not speak to her. She asks for the care and custody of the minor children, costs of suit, attorney fees and alimony.

HIGH SCHOOL STARTS ON BASKETBALL ELIMINATION

Fifty-six aspirants for basketball honors are practicing nightly at the Ogden high school, preparatory to entering the class basketball series which will be played next week at the school. The squad includes representatives of all the classes and with a position on the O. H. S. 1914 team as a goal to try as well as for the class championship honors, every member is doing his best to secure a position on his class team.

The first game of the class series will be on Monday afternoon, beginning at 2:30, between the two freshmen teams. A game between the two sophomore teams will follow. On Tuesday the two junior teams will contest and on Wednesday the two teams of seniors will meet. On Thursday the winning freshmen and sophomore teams will come together and their game will be followed by a contest between the winning junior and senior fives.

These elimination contests will conclude in a game for the class championship of the school, which will be played on Friday.

The series has been arranged by Coach Romney in order to give an idea of the material he will have to work with in making up the Orange and Black fives, and from the active interest already taken by the boys and the physical make-up of some of the older ones, he is greatly encouraged over the prospects of putting a winning team into the state high school league.

I. W. W. ARMY TO STORM KANSAS CITY

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 4.—After Peter McAvoy and four other leaders of the Industrial Workers of the World had been fined \$100 each in municipal court today for blocking traffic while speaking on the streets, McAvoy, who is chief of the local I. W. W., announced he had sent out a call for an army of his fellows to come here from all over the United States to stand for the rights of the organization.

"Within a few days," declared McAvoy, "a thousand men will be here from Omaha, Des Moines, Rock Island, St. Louis, Chicago, Denver, Salt Lake City, Peoria and Davenport to raise the banner of the I. W. W. in Kansas City where capitalism and the police have challenged our right to organize and speak."